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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In an Office Action mailed on July 7, 2006, the examiner has imposed an election requirement to one species of the bispecific antibody selected from the following groups:

- a) a bispecific antibody with binding specificity for the epitope of a mammalian dipeptidyl peptidase IV recognized by E19 and for an epitope of seprase;
- b) a bispecific antibody with binding specificity for the epitope of a mammalian dipeptidyl peptidase IV recognized by E26 and for an epitope of seprase;
- c) a bispecific antibody with binding specificity for the epitope of a mammalian dipeptidyl peptidase IV recognized by E19 and for an epitope of MT1-MMP;
- d) a bispecific antibody with binding specificity for the epitope of a mammalian dipeptidyl peptidase IV recognized by E26 and for an epitope of MT-1-MMP;

- e) a bispecific antibody with binding specificity for the epitope of a mammalian dipeptidyl peptidase IV recognized by E19 and for an epitope of MMP-2;
- f) a bispecific antibody with binding specificity for the epitope of a mammalian dipeptidyl peptidase IV recognized by E26 and for an epitope of MMP-2;
- g) a bispecific antibody with binding specificity for the epitope of a mammalian dipeptidyl peptidase IV recognized by E19 and for an epitope of  $\alpha(3)\beta(1)$ -integrin; and
- h) a bispecific antibody with binding specificity for the epitope of a mammalian dipeptidyl peptidase IV recognized by E26 and for an epitope of  $\alpha(3)\beta(1)$ -integrin.

In response to the election requirement, applicants elect group (a) for the bispecific antibody.

As required by the election requirement, applicants have identified claims 64-72 as being readable upon the elected species.

It is now believed that this application is in condition for further consideration and examination. If resolution of any remaining issues are required prior to examination of the application, it is respectfully requested that the examiner contact applicants' agent at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,



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